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SUBJ: AUSTRALIAN IMPORT RESTRICTIONS: REQUEST FOR TEMPORARY
PROTECTION AGAINST IMPORTS OF RAIN UMBRELLAS

1. DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRY AND COMMERCE (DIC) HAS REQUESTED
INTERESTED PARTIES TO SUBMIT VIEWS ON QUESTION OF TEMPORARY
PROTECTION AGAINST IMPORTS OF RAIN UMBRELLAS FALLING WITHIN
TARIFF ITEM 66.01.100. SUBMISSIONS SHOULD REACH DIC BY
OCTOBER 22, Q 1976.

2. IMPORTS FROM U.S. INSIGNIFICANT. PRELIMINARY FIGURES
FOR FY76 SHOW THAT IMPORTS OF UMBRELLAS FROM U.S. WERE
VALUED AT A\$7,564, WHICH REPRESENTS 0.7 PERCENT OF TOTAL
IMPORTS VALUED AT A\$1,056,699.

3. REQUESTS FOR TEMPORARY PROTECTION ARE INITIALLY RECEIVED
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AND CONSIDERED BY DIC, AFTER WHICH THEY MAY BE REFERRED TO

TEMPORARY ASSISTANCE AUTHORITY FOR FURTHER INVESTIGATION AND
RECOMMENDATION. IF DIC SUBSEQUENT TO OCTOBER 22 DECIDES TO
REFER CASE TO TAA, LATTER IS REQUIRED TO PRESENT ITS REPORT
WITHIN 30 DAYS OF THE DATE OF REFERENCE. TAA WILL HOLD
PUBLIC HEARINGS AT WHICH INTERESTED PARTIES MAY MAKE SUB-
MISSIONS. IT WILL ALSO CONSIDER PREVIOUS SUBMISSIONS MADE TO
DIC IN INITIAL STAGES OF INVESTIGATION.
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